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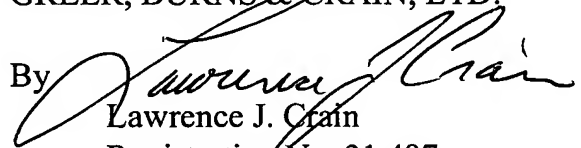
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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 28, 2005 in the above-identified application. The Examiner has determined that there are three separate inventions in the application:

Group I: Claims 1-17 and 26-32 drawn to a method for making a cementitious panel;

Group II: Claims 19-36 drawn to a cementitious panel; and

Group III: Claims 27-31 drawn to an apparatus to make a cementitious panel.